

AMENDMENT TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.121(b) as follows. Please replace the paragraph starting on page 28, line 37 and ending on page 29, line 6 with the following amended paragraph:

Hamsters were immunized intraperitoneally with $5 \cdot 10^6$ activated T_h1 cells (dl.6) at weekly intervals for six weeks. When the serum titer against murine T_h1 was greater than about 1:10,000, cell fusions were performed with polyethylene glycol using immune hamster splenocytes and NS-1. Supernatant from wells containing growing hybridomas were screened by flow cytometry on resting and activated T_h1 . One particular hybridoma, which produced a Mab that selectively recognized activated T_h was further tested and subcloned to derive MR1. MR1 was produced in ascites and purified by ion exchange HPLC. A hybridoma MR1 ~~has been deposited with~~ was received on May 22, 1992 by the American Type Culture Collection then located at 12301 Parklawn Drive, Rockville, MD 20852 USA (current address of the American Type Culture Collection is 10801 University Boulevard, Manassas, VA 20110-2209 USA) and assigned Accession Number HB11048.